

WHAT IS QUEEN CITY COMPOST?

Queen City Compost is manufactured using the turned windrow composting method, which is closely monitored to guarantee the production of a high quality product.

Queen City Compost is also tested on an on-going basis to assure that our compost customers receive a consistent product. In fact, the product is even certified through the US Composting Council's Seal of Testing Assurance Program, as a means to better guarantee quality control, and is OMRI Listed, allowing it for use in organic production.

Queen City Compost is free of viable weed seeds and plant pathogens, since pasteurization temperatures are met during the composting process. Queen City Compost is rich in organic matter, making it excellent for amending depleted soils, enriching planting mixes, and enhancing the growth of turf and ornamental plants, as well as agricultural crops.



All-Purpose Soil Conditioner

Perfect for your Landscape,
Turf and other
Horticultural Applications

QUEEN CITY COMPOST™

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Treat your soil like royalty
with Queen City Compost

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

Flower and Ornamental Garden Beds:

Apply a 1 - 2 inch layer of Queen City Compost to the soil and incorporate it to a depth of 6 - 8 inches. Plant flowers and water. Condition the soil this way every year or two.

Trees & Shrubs:

Dig a hole to the approximate depth of the root ball and two to three times as wide. Mix 1 part Queen City Compost with 2 - 3 parts soil obtained from the planting hole. Place the tree or shrub in the planting hole and apply amended soil around the root ball. Firm the soil and water.

New Turf Areas:

Apply a 1 to 2 inches of Queen City Compost to the soil and incorporate it to depth of 6 to 8 inches, apply seed, then rake and water. Modify soil the same way before sodding.

Existing Lawns:

Apply ½" layer annually and rake in. For best results, core aerate first. Complete this process in the spring or fall for best results.

Topsoil Manufacturing / Upgrading:

Mix 1 part Queen City Compost with 3 parts existing or purchased soil and blend uniformly.

BENEFITS OF QC COMPOST

- Adds valuable organic matter - improving soil structure
- Improves the moisture holding capacity of light, sandy soils
- Reduces the bulk density of heavy, clay soils – increasing moisture infiltration and aeration, slowing soil compaction
- Improves the microbial activity of the soil
- Reduces soil erosion and nutrient leaching



HOW MUCH QUEEN CITY COMPOST DO I NEED?

One Cubic Yard of Compost Covers:

648 sq. ft. → ½" depth

324 sq. ft. → 1" depth

162 sq. ft. → 2" depth

CUBIC YARDS REQUIRED TO COVER 1,000 SQUARE FEET

½" layer → 1.5 yd³

1" layer → 3.0 yd³

2" layer → 6.0 yd³



Queen City Compost is manufactured from locally collected yard trimmings.

Use this product only as suggested on this label.